

(SRI J. MOHAMED IMAM.)

Then, I come to ceremonial functions. The opening ceremonies have enormously increased, I may tell you that a Minister visits a place not in connection with Government work but solely with the object of doing some ceremonial work such as opening a school building or a hotel or a garage. In fact, recently I was amused to read in newspapers that Sri Kadidal Manjappa would be touring Kolar and Gulberga to open a police kasba range.

Mr. SPEAKER.—As agreed to, we have to take the recess now. I hope the Secretary has conveyed that information to Hon'ble Members.

The House adjourned for Lunch at Thirty-Four Minutes past Two of the Clock and reassembled at Three of the Clock.

[Mr. SPEAKER in the Chair.]

Canteen for Members.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—Mr. Speaker, before I resume my speech on the Address, I have a submission to make to the Chair. I think that it is desirable to arrange for a separate canteen for members of this House somewhere near this hall. Otherwise, members have to go all the way to the canteen downstairs. Much time is taken up in doing so and there is a big crowd as a result of which much inconvenience is caused to members. Therefore, I submit that separate arrangement may be made to provide refreshments to members somewhere near the hall in the lounge and the caterer is also agreeable to it. I think that that arrangement will be more convenient to members. Otherwise, we will get mixed up with the crowd and it will be difficult for us to get ourselves extricated from it.

Mr. SPEAKER.—That is a good suggestion. I have thought over the matter and am still thinking about it. I would like to have a talk with various members on this matter. It is always

better to have a canteen nearby. That is the case everywhere and that is the case in Bombay also. Here, the canteen is down below and members find it difficult to go down and come up. I do not know whether it is meant only for the M.L.As.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—It is a general canteen meant for all.

Mr. SPEAKER.—That makes the matter still more difficult.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—There is ample accommodation in the lounge. The Vidhana Soudha can afford to spare one or two rooms to accommodate a canteen.

Mr. SPEAKER.—It would not be proper to make use of the lounge for this purpose, because there will be a lot of rush.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—There is accommodation available for this purpose on the other side of the verandah.

Mr. SPEAKER.—After we rise, we shall talk about it, go round and settle the matter. The Hon'ble Member may finish his speech and then I will call upon Sri Kadam to speak.

MOTION ON ADDRESS BY THE GOVERNOR (Debate Continued).

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY (Chitaldrug).—S.r., those who have sent in their amendments may be allowed to make their speeches today and those who have not sent in their amendments may not find time to express their views on the Address today. I am one of those who have sent in their amendments and I may be allowed to speak today because I will not be present for the session from tomorrow.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Am I to understand that the Hon'ble Member will not be here for tomorrow only?

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—I will not be here for the entire session.

Mr. SPEAKER.—It will be rather difficult for me to accommodate the Hon'ble Member because I have already said that the movers of amendments will get the chance to speak first.